DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	13·40	17·01	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort		9·20	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolās.

Agricultural operations.—Ragi thrashing.

Outturn of harvest Ragi, 12 annas in the rupee.

Foot and mouth disease prevail here and there among cattle. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sugar cane cultivation in parts of Magadi and milling of sugar cane is going on in parts of Kankanhalli.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Anekal and Hoskote and sugar cane in parts of Anekal.

Standing crops, such as sugar cane in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Anekal, and Vaisakhi paddy, potatoes, onions and garlic are in good condition.

Crops harvested and outturn.—Avare in parts of Kankanhalli and Devanhalli, yield 4 annas, and 4 to 10 annas, respectively. Sugar cane in parts of Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli, yield 16 annas, 12 annas, 10 annas and 4 to 12 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal and Closepet town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all other taluks except Bangalore, in parts of which "foot and mouth disease" "Jarasal Roga" and "Galisakha" prevail. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8 Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in Kolar; harvesting in Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Gudibanda; milling of sugar cane in Bowringpet and Srinivaspur; sowing in Sidlaghatta and thrashing of paddy and ragi in Chikballapur and Malur.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur; sugar cane in Chintamani, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda; and potatoes in Bowringpet.

Standing crops, such as paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas; paddy in Bowringpet and Sidlaghatta, 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas; togari in Mulbagal, 8 to 12 annas; avare in Malur, 8 annas; and avare and togari in Bowringpet, Chintamani, Bagepalli and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Kolar Gold Fields in the towns of Kolar Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Chikballapur and in some villages of Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Chikballapur and Malur, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth disease" in Pathapalya hobli of the Bagepalli Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Koratagere and Turuvekere; and sugar cane in Turuvekere.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Kunigal and Koratagere; avare in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi, Koratagere and Turuvekere; togari in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira and Turuvekere; horse gram in Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada; Bengal gram in Chiknayakanhalli; castor in Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Pavagada; cotton in Sira; ground-nut in Gubbi and Pavagada; sugar cane in Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere.

Condition of crops.—Good in almost all the taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Plague prevails in parts of Tumkur, Tiptur and Kunigal; public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk for kar grains.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Nanjangud and Nagamangala; avare in parts of Mysore, Hunsur and Heggaddevankote; haralu in parts of Mysore and Heggaddevankote; Bengal gram in parts of Mysore, Hunsur and Heggaddevankote; togari in parts of Hunsur and ragi in parts of Yedatore.

Outturn.—Bengal gram, avare and haralu in parts of Heggaddevankote, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of most of the taluks of the district and measles in parts of Mysore Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth disease" in parts of the Mysore and Malvalli Taluks cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Such as sugar cane in Hassan and Belur; kadale in Arkalgud; paddy, sugar cane, castor and kadale in Arsikere; paddy and sugar cane in Channarayapatna; and castor, kadale, sugar cane and menthya in Hole-Narsipur are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Kadale, avare and togari in Hassan; hutchellu, kadale and haralu in Hole-Narsipur. The raiyats are generally engaged in the thrashing floor and some to ploughing their lands.

Crops sown.—Kode paddy in Manjarabad.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for plague in parts of Hassan, Channarayapatna, Manjarabad and Belur, public health is generally good.

12. Fdder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except in parts of Alur and Salagrama and Kasaba hoblis of Hassan Taluk, where "foot and mouth disease" prevails. Preventive measures are being adopted.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for sowing in parts of Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sagar and Nagar; sugar cane planting is going on in parts of Shikarpur, transplanting of kar paddy in parts of Sagar Taluk and manuring to the areca trees in Sagar.

Standing crops, such as sugar cane in all parts of the district, except Tirthahalli and Channagiri; Bengal gram in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Sorab; green and black grams in Sorab; castor seeds in Shikarpur and wheat in Honnali, are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane is being milled in parts of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar and Kumsi; paddy in Sorab and Sagar; arecanut in Nagar; ragi, savé, navane, jola, avaré and togari in Honnali and parts of Channagiri; horse gram in Shimoga, Sorab and Honnali.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good but for plague at Gulladahalli and Anchehalli in Shikarpur and Shimoga Taluks, respectively, a few cases of sporadic nature are reported to have occurred in the Shimoga town.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water are available. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails in parts of Sorab and Kumsi. Wild elephants are said to have destroyed crops in Chordi village of Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing in parts of Chikmagalur, Mudgere and Yedahalli.

Crops sown.—Kode paddy in the malnad parts of Chikmagalur.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane, togari, castor, avare, fenugreek, garlic, onions and Bengal gram in Chikmagalur; avare, Bengal gram, sugar cane, wheat and castor in Kadur; besige jola, cotton, sugar cane, wheat and Bengal gram in Tarikere; sugar cane and pepper in Koppa; cardamom in Mudgere; sugar cane in Yedahalli and Sringeri. All these are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—sugar cane, avare and togari in Chikmagalur; avare, Bengal gram and sugar cane in Kadur; cardamom in Mudgere; sugar cane in Yedahalli and Sringeri.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stocks is sufficient.

11. Public health is generally good, except in parts of Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere where plague prvails.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. But "foot and mouth disease" still prevails in a few villages of Chikmagalur. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as paddy, sugar cane, cotton, castor, chillies, wheat, jola, Bengal gram, horse gram, avare, togari, tadagani, green and black grams are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in Challakere and Jagalur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Castor and cotton in the Chitaldrug and Challakere, yield 8 annas; wheat in Chitaldrug, 8 annas; chillies and Bengal gram in Challakere, 8 annas; horse gram and togari in Hiriyur, 8 annas; ragi, navane and sajje in Hosdurga, 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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